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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Paul R. Wingert
Serial No.: 09/977,036
Filed: October 11, 2001
Title: AGRICULTURAL BAGGER WITH UPPER TUNNEL COMPACTION AND CHUTE AGITATION

Examiner: Thanh Truong
Group Art Unit: 3721
Docket No: 671.003US1

PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME



Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Supplemental Amendment and Response mailed December 29, 2003, said period of response being extended from September 30, 2003 to December 30, 2003.

Our check in the amount of \$475.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 502931.

Respectfully Submitted

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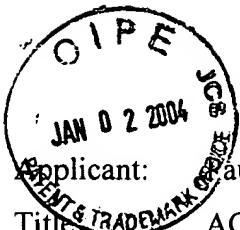
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We are transmitting herewith the following attached items (as indicated with an "X"):

A return postcard.
 A Supplemental Amendment and Response (14 Pages).
 Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg.)
 A check in the amount of \$475.00 to cover the Extension of Time Fee.

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If not provided for in a separate paper filed herewith, please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for sufficient number of months to enter these papers and please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 502931.

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